

REMARKS

In the Office Action dated May 16, 2005, a Restriction Requirement was made between four groups of claims:

- I. Claims 1-5, 11-12, 18 and 23-28;
- II. Claims 6-10, 13-17, and 19-22;
- III. Claims 29-44; and
- IV. Claims 45-47.

In response to the Examiner's request that Applicants elect an invention to be examined, Applicants elect Group I for examination. Having made this election, Applicants expressly reserve the right to file one or more divisional application on the subject matter of the non-elected claims.

Conclusion

If, for any reason, the Examiner is of the opinion that a telephone conversation with the Applicants' representatives would expedite prosecution, the Examiner is kindly invited to contact the undersigned at the number listed below.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 646-8000, Boston, Massachusetts.

A check is not enclosed. If a fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 23/2825. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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